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(5) Reason for renewal.

[CGFR 65-50, 30 FR 16604, Dec. 30, 1965, as amended by CGFR 68-82, 33 FR 18804, Dec. 18, 1968]

§ 2.20-50 Repairs or alterations in life-saving or fire prevention equipment.

No repairs or alterations shall be made to any lifesaving or fire-detecting or fire-extinguishing equipment except in an emergency without advance notice to the Officer in Charge, Marine Inspection. See §§ 78.33-10 and 97.30-10 of this chapter.

[CGFR 65-50, 30 FR 16604, Dec. 30, 1965, as amended by CGD 97-057, 62 FR 51041, Sept. 30, 1997]

Subpart 2.45—Waivers of Navigation and Vessel Inspection Laws

EFFECTIVE DATE NOTE: At 62 FR 51195, Sept. 30, 1997, subpart 2.45, consisting of §§ 2.45-1 through 2.45-20, was removed, effective Oct. 30, 1997.

§ 2.45-1 Authority for and limitations on issuance.

Compliance with certain of the navigation and vessel inspection laws may be waived by the Commandant under authority of the act of December 27, 1950 (Pub. L. 50-891, secs. 1, 2, 64 Stat. 1120; 46 U.S.C., note preceding section 1), and the delegation of waiver authority contained in Department of the Treasury Order CGFR 51-1, dated January 23, 1951 (16 FR 731), in any case where such waiver is deemed necessary in the interest of national defense.

§ 2.45-5 Policy.

(a) It is the policy of the Coast Guard, in the current administration of the laws and regulations relating to navigation and vessel inspection, to further the interests of national defense by simplifying the procedure involved therein, eliminating all causes of delay in the sailing of vessels, and by bringing about a proper balance between the factors of safety at sea and the national defense. While it is not the policy of the Coast Guard to countenance willful violations of the laws and regulations or negligence in meet-

ing the requirements thereof, neither is it contemplated that masters who exercise all reasonable efforts to comply with the requirements in effect be cited for violations on technical grounds.

§ 2.45-10 Waivers issued.

(a) The waivers having general applicability are published in part 154 of this chapter, as well as in 33 CFR part 19.

§ 2.45-15 Specific individual waivers.

(a) Applications for waivers affecting only one vessel in any one order under the provisions of § 154.01 of this chapter are made on Form CG-2633, Application for Waiver Order. The application shall state the name of the vessel, her employment, the requirements of law or regulations, waiver of which is requested, the reasons why waiver is necessary, and shall be signed by the master, owner, or agent of the vessel, or by the representative of any interested Government agency. The application shall be made to the Coast Guard District Commander or to his designated representative at the port or place where the vessel is located. In any foreign port or place the application shall be made to the designated representative of the Commandant at such port or place or if the Coast Guard has not established facilities in such port or place to the nearest designated representative of the Commandant at a port or place where such facilities have been established.

(b) If the request is granted, the waiver order will describe the vessel, the requirements of law or regulations waived, the conditions to which the waiver is subject, and the period of time for which the waiver is effective.

§ 2.45-20 General waivers.

(a) Applications for waivers having general applicability should be addressed to the Commandant (G-MOC), U.S. Coast Guard, Washington, DC 20593-0001.